# Non-Public School Security Competitive Grant Programs: R5 SSGP & MM SSGP Points of Contact: schoolsecuritygrant@ct.gov

#### Non-Public School Program Overview

#### Two Competitive Grant Applications (2 Part Applications):

- Round 5 School Security Grant Program (R5 SSGP) and Multi-Media Interoperable Communications Systems (MM-SSGP)
- Part 1 of the application process is <u>due June 15, 2021 at 3 PM</u> by email to: schoolsecuritygrant@ct.gov
- Part 2 of the application includes completing the Safe Schools Checklist for each school (with law enforcement) and entering responses online by June 30, 2021 at 3 PM

#### Non-Public School Program Overview

- **Funding** available \$500,000 under each Program, these are *competitive* programs.
- The max application/subgrant award for non-public schools is \$50,000 (\$100,000 project cost with a 50% reimbursement rate/share)
- **Period of Performance** *If awarded*, retroactive for allowable projects completed after 1/1/2013 and includes any new projects completed through 9/30/2023.

#### Non-Public School Program Overview

- Eligible applicants are: Non-Public/Private Schools and licensed Child Care Centers and Pre-schools that have received threats
- Applicants can apply for one or both programs\*:
  - Cap of \$100,000 budget
  - 50% reimbursement rate
  - Max \$50,000 subgrant award
  - \* Cap in place even if applying for both programs

#### Non-Public School Program Overview

- If applying for both Programs—Part 2 (Safe Schools Checklist) only needs to be <u>completed once</u> for each school/location
- Schools may opt to complete the hard copy assessment (must be done in coordination with law enforcement) prior to submitting Part 1. The process of completing the assessment may assist applicants in identifying gaps and deciding on projects.
- Part 2 is entering the responses to the Safe School Checklist on-line.

# Division of Emergency Management & Homeland Security Website

- <a href="https://portal.ct.gov/DEMHS/Grants/School-Security-Competitive-Grant-Program/Apply">https://portal.ct.gov/DEMHS/Grants/School-Security-Competitive-Grant-Program/Apply</a>
- Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs updated as common questions are asked)
- School Security Competitive Grant Program Apply link on the left side
  - Non-public MM (Multi-Media SSCGP) Excel Workbook
  - Non-Public Schools-Safe Schools Checklist-Used as a worksheet to prepare for Survey Monkey data entry
  - Non-Public R5 SSGP Excel Work Book
  - Non-Public School-Safe Schools Checklist Used as a worksheet to prepare for Survey Monkey data entry

#### Non-Public School Program Overview

- *If awarded*, only projects in the application and approved will be funded. New projects cannot be added after the award is issued.
- Decision Matrix:
  - First Priority shall be given to applicants on behalf of schools that have no security infrastructure at the time of the assessment
  - Applicants that have not received funding under previous Rounds of the School Security Grant Program will be given priority over applicants that have received funding.
- Questions can be emailed to Schoolsecuritygrant@Ct.Gov

# Non-Public School Program – Application Process

- Part 1 Application Excel Workbook Due by email to <u>Schoolsecuritygrant@Ct.Gov</u> by June 15, 2021 at 3PM
- Save the Excel file as "Non-Public R5 SSGP (School name town) or "Non-Public MM SSGP (School name town)"
- Part 2 Security Self Assessment completed with law enforcement, hardcopy work sheet provided – Responses due in Survey Monkey by June 30, 2021 at 3PM – link will be emailed when Part one application received

### Non-Public School Program – Application Process

- Part 1 The Excel Workbook Applications consists of four tabs which must all be completed and submitted by email to <u>Schoolsecuritygrant@Ct.Gov</u> by June 15, 2021 at 3PM
- APPLICATION DATA SHEET-Has affirmation wording for electronic authorized officials printed name as signature
- PROJECT NARRATIVE
- THREAT INFORMATION (Required for licensed Child Care Centers/Preschools only)
- BUDGET TAB Contains prepopulated projects types and allows for the entry of up to 25 different schools

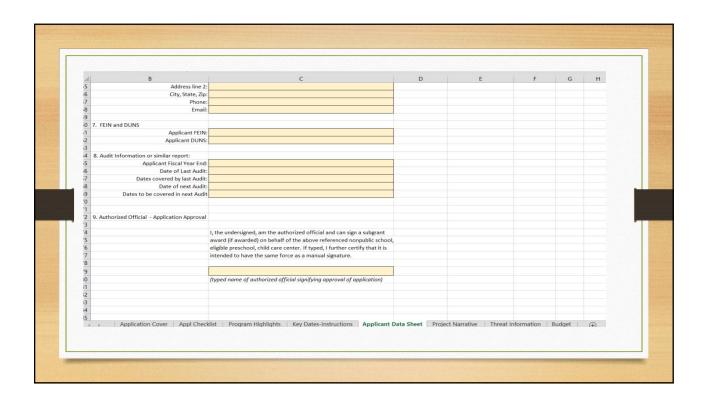
# Non-Public School Program-Application Tabs

#### APPLICANT DATA SHEET

Due to multi-year period of performance of the grant we request at least three different names be provided to ensure we are able to contact someone in event staff members change

- Name of Eligible Applicant (Name of Non-Public School, elig. Day Care/Preschool)
- Point of Contact (Usually the project manager)
- Official Authorized to sign for the applicant (Principal)
- Application prepared by
- Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) & DUNS
- Audit Information

-	Non-public Private Round 5 SSGP						
,		STATE OF CONNECTICUT					
	Department of Emergency Services & Public Protection						
	Division of Emergency Management & Homeland Security						
	Grant Applicant Data Sheet						
	Fill in areas that are shaded	sample					
	Please email this completed excel workbook - PART 1 of the application to:						
)	Schoolsecuritygrant@ct.gov						
	Due dates: Part 1- on or before June 15, 2021 3:00 pm. The submission will be confirmed by email, the applicant will						
	receive an email back with an identifying code and link to survey monkey to complete Part 2 of the application						
;	by June 30, 2021 by 3:00 PM						
	Grant Program: Connecticut 2021 School Security Grant Program - Round 5- Non-public/Private						
	1. Name of School/eligible licensed child						
	care center/pre-school						
ij	Location: Street Address						
	Town, CT Zip						
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1	2. Period of award:	1/01/2013-9/30	0/2023				
3	3. Point of contact (Project Director):						
1	Name:						
5	Title:						
5	Address line 1:						
	Address line 2:						
3	City, State, Zip:						
	Phone:						
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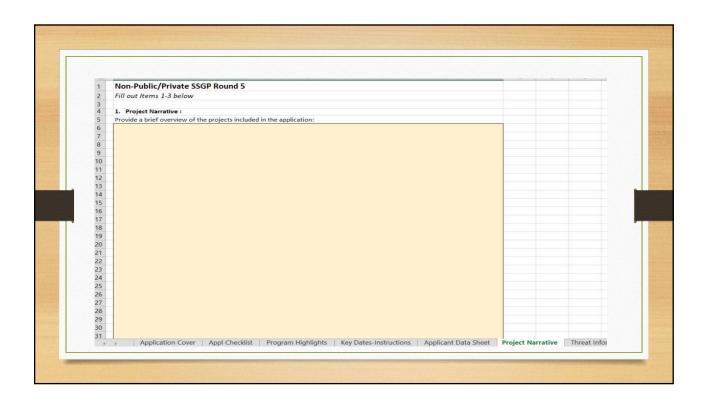
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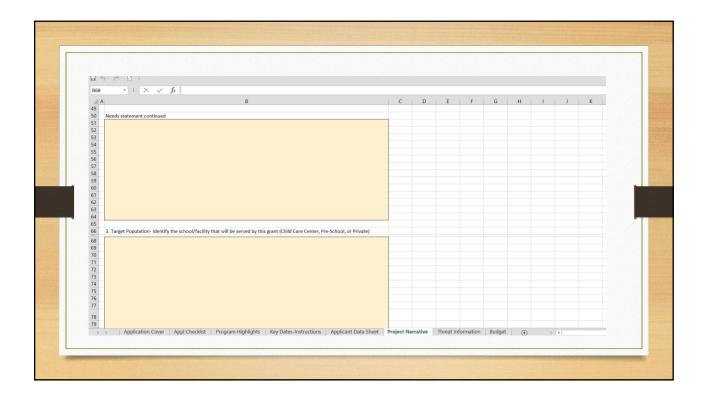
#### PROJECT NARRATIVE [Three Sections]

- Project Narrative Provide an overview of the projects included in this application
   Example: In order to close security gaps at the Smith School we propose to install indoor
   and outdoor surveillance cameras, card swipe controlled locks at our entrance doors and
   penetration resistant film on our first floor windows and glass section of doors.
- Needs Statement Provide a description of the issues or gaps that will be addressed by receiving this grant.
  - Example: Our office staff will have better awareness of activities occurring inside and outside
    the school. Unmonitored entry into the school will be limited to those with swipe card access.
    The penetration resistant film will delay forced entry via first floor windows and glass sections
    of doors.

#### Non-Public School Program – Application Tab

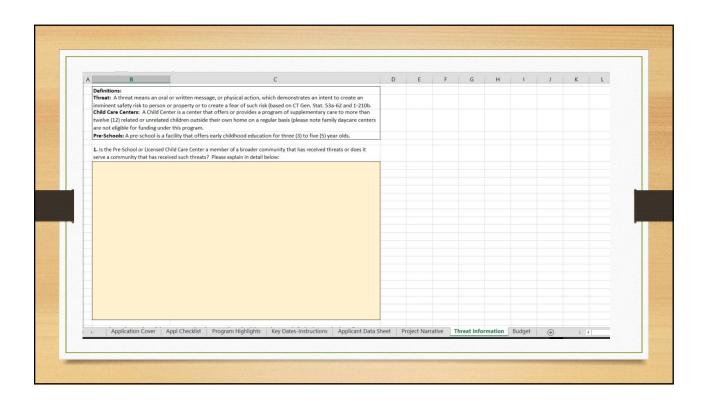
- Target Population Identify the school/facility that will be served by this grant
  - Example: Smith School has 350 students, grades K-5 with 55 staff members.

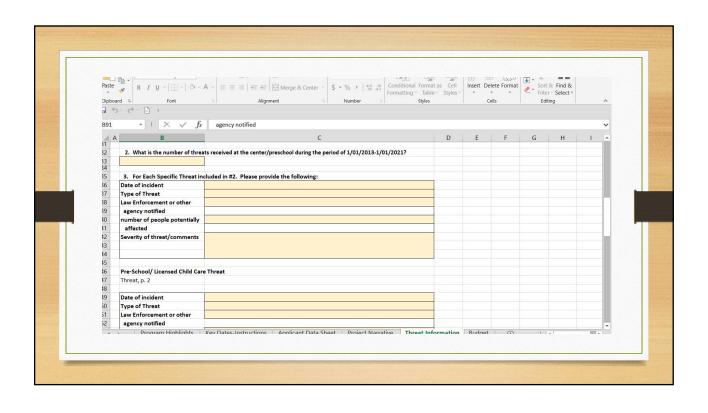


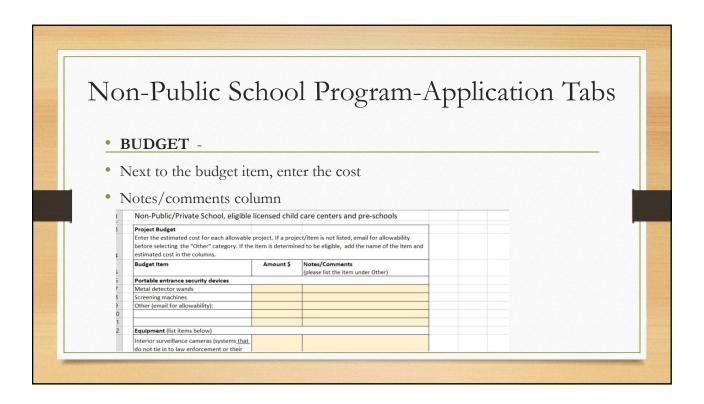


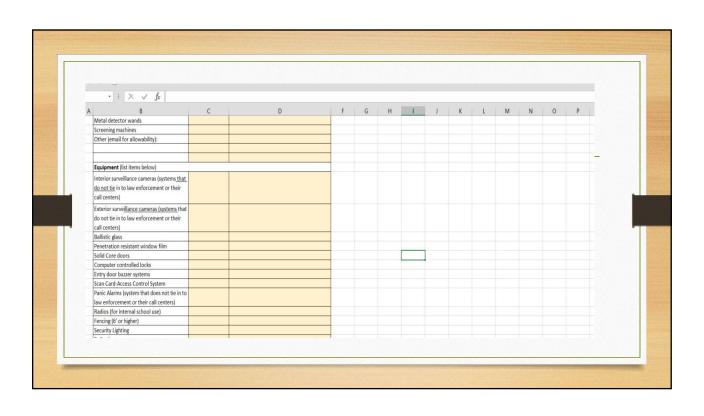
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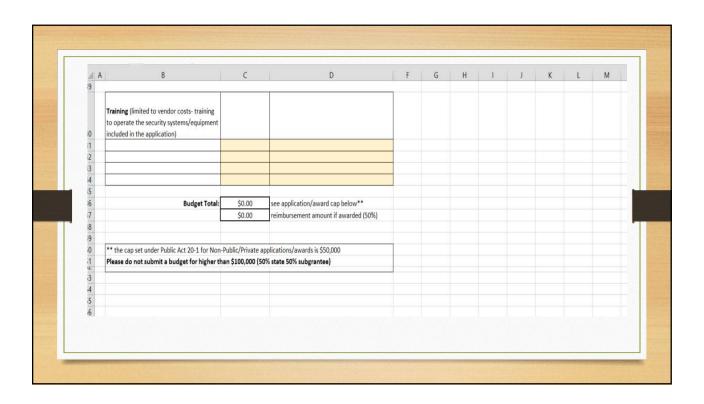
- Threat Information: required for Pre-schools/Licensed Day Care
  Centers
  - Definition of threats, child care centers, pre-schools
  - Threat narrative
  - Number of Threats
  - Incident details











#### Allowability: R5 SSGP vs. MM SSGP

- Round 5 SSGP- infrastructure improvements <u>that do not meet</u> the definition of Multi-Media Interoperable Communications Systems (Systems do not link or send notifications to law enforcement or their call centers.
- MM SSGP- infrastructure improvements that <u>meet</u> the definition of Multi-Media Interoperable Communications Systems (definition next slide)

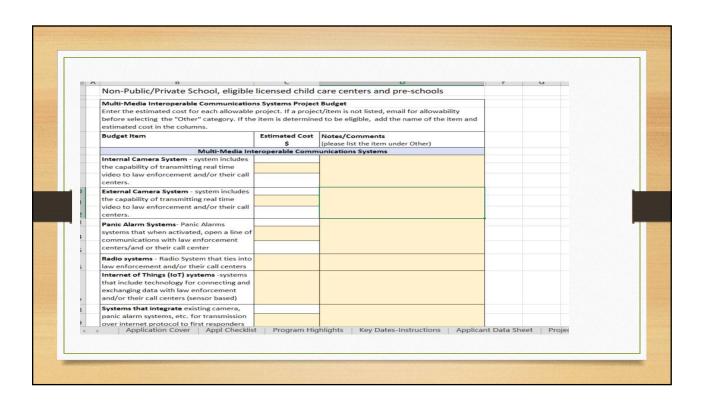
\*Application is the same except for different budget tabs – different allowable items\*

#### Non- Public School Program Multi-Media Interoperable Communications Systems (MM-SSGP)

NEW PROGRAM -\$500,000 in funding on a competitive basis is available to eligible non-public schools and other eligible applicants

#### Multi-Media Interoperable Communications Systems Defined:

Interoperable systems that are capable of transmitting communications or notifications to law enforcement agencies and/or their call centers. For a camera, radio, panic button, Internet of Thing (IoT) system to be included in this application, it must include the capability of transmitting communications/notifications to law enforcement and/or their call centers. It can also include system(s) that integrate existing cameras, radios, panic buttons, etc. for transmission over internet protocol to first responders and/or their call centers. The goal is to make communications and information sharing between first responders and schools as quick and seamless as possible.



#### Non-Public School R5 SSGP Overview

Examples of allowable equipment:

- Portable entrance security devices, including metal detector wands, screen machines and related items
- Interior and exterior surveillance cameras (Which do not tie into law enforcement or their call centers)
- Ballistic glass
- · Penetration resistant window film
- Solid core doors
- Computer controlled locks
- Entry door buzzer systems
- Scan card access control

#### Non-Public School R5 SSGP Overview

#### Examples of allowable equipment (continued)

- · Panic alarms
- · Radios for internal school use
- Fencing (6 feet or higher)
- Security lighting
- Bollards
- Vendor training costs related to the operation and maintenance of the equipment funded by this grant program
- Other projects upon approval from DEMHS Staff email to confirm allowability prior to submitting application

#### Non-Public School Program Overview

#### Unallowable Costs (both programs)

- · Any projects funded by State or Federal funds
- · Personnel costs
- Training program costs (Only allowable training is vendor costs-provided training of staff on the use of equipment installed under this program)
- · Replacement of landscaping or plantings
- Any other items deemed ineligible after review
- Cameras systems manufactured in China (if awarded, this will be a grant condition)

#### Non-Public School Program – Part 2 Safe Schools Checklist/School Assessment

- Once your application is received you will be issued a Survey Monkey link for Part 2 of the application – This is a safe schools checklist-which <u>must be</u> done for each school funding is being applied for.
- A form with the questions is available to use as a worksheet so once you have the answers you can do the data entry for each school in the Survey Monkey tool.
- The assessment can assist a school in determining gaps and deciding on security improvements

#### Non-Public School Program-Part 2

- Assessment (Survey Monkey Tool) for Retroactive Projects If you are seeking funding for projects already completed after 1/1/2013, which have not been funded or reimbursed by another State or Federal program, when completing the tool use the viewpoint those improvements do not exist.
- EXAMPLE: If you completed cameras in any year after 1/1/2013 and are seeking reimbursement in this application, complete the tool as if you do not have cameras.

